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PLACE: Langley Berry's Office

PERSONS PRESENT: Berry, []

COVER SHEET: None

DISCUSSION:

[] had brought a list of some 14 items to be discussed with State, such as integration, the Ambassador to Honduras, etc. Berry promptly disqualifies himself from handling all matters of detail, and told [] to take them up with Leedy. Only if Leedy got into a jam would he, Berry, give matters a push with Park Armstrong, Asst Secretary of State for Intelligence; even then, Berry would handle only PI matters and PI personnel problems, while PI problems and personnel would be handled directly between CIA and Armstrong.

Berry called a Mr. Chuck Lee, of Armstrong's office, who is responsible for integration problems. Berry also called Leedy, and arranged a meeting of Lee, Leedy and [] for 1600, 25 November in Leedy's office.

On the matter of the new Ambassador to Honduras, Berry said he was still undergoing FBI check. Berry had not spoken to General Smith, as yet. Smith and DCI were to discuss the matter at lunch, 25 November, but General Smith was ill with the flu and was not expected back at work before Saturday. Berry called DCI's office to leave a message for DCI; when DCI called back, Berry was going to tell him to tell DCI not to discuss the Honduran Ambassador affair with anyone else from State.

Berry shows [] is (berry's) letter of instruction, which indicated that Berry had world-wide responsibilities and would really deal only with the broadest of policy matters.

RECOMMENDATIONS:

1. That [] on 30 November remind Berry to talk to Gen. Smith, if this is still necessary.
2. That the nature of working relationships with State be

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